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1. Arrival of Former Nationalist Porces, Soochow

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2. Sending of Gunboats to Fulden

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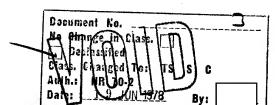
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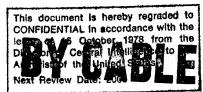
About 1 July 1950 one army group of defected Nationalis General FU Tso-yi's former troops (approximately 100,000 men), under TAG Chi wu (重其以), arrived in Soochow from Suiyuan. The troops were mostly natives of Soochow and many are quartered with their families. The troops state that they will participate in the Taiwan invasion. They refused to be reorganized or to accept commissars wintil after the invasion, and they still wear their old insignia.**

About mid-August the East China Naval Command received orders to send 7 gunboats to Fulden in order to aid the 8 and 10 Army Groups to exterminate Nationalist troops on coastal islands. The vessels are believed to be about

100 tons each, and h are converted commercial ships. Commont. Presumably they refused to have political commissars assigned to their units.

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